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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th February, 1882.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint JULIUS BRETHOUR, Esq., of North Saanich, to be a Fence Viewer in and for the Electoral District of Victoria.

Proclamations.

[L.S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of

the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Monday, the Twenty-third day of January, instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEO. A. WALKEM, } WHEREAS the meeting of Attorney-General, } the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Monday, the Twenty-third day of January instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on THURSDAY, the TWENTY-THIRD day of the month of FEBRUARY next, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favour of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria in Our said Province, this twentieth day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and in the forty-fifth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
District Registrar, Supreme Court,
Victoria Judicial District.

Government Notices.

42 VIC., CAP. 28, STATUTES OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PUBLIC DEBT REDEMPTION.

GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statute, that the following Debentures, issued under the authority of the above Act, will be redeemed on presentation at the Treasury, Victoria, B. C., on the 10th July, 1882, and that all Interest on the said Debentures will cease on that date:—

Numbers 3, 19, 29, 30, 32, 49, 51, 52, 73, 90, 91.

JAMES JUDSON YOUNG,
Deputy-Treasurer.
Treasury, Victoria,
29th December, 1881.

HIGHWAY NOTICE.**ESQUIMALT DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Highway, 66 feet in width, is hereby established, as follows, viz.:—

Commencing at the north-east corner of Suburban Lot 25, Esquimalt District; thence north, along the line between Suburban Lots 53 and 54, Esquimalt District, to its intersection with the shore line of Esquimalt Harbour, and having a width of 66 feet throughout, measured to the east of said line.

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, December 3rd, 1881.*

PUBLIC NOTICE.**CARIBOO DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Section 15, Group 1, Cariboo District, containing 181 acres, has been surveyed for Mr. John Girod; and the same will be offered for sale at Public Auction, at the Office of the Government Agent, Barkerville, on Friday, the 20th day of January, 1882, at noon, at the upset price of one dollar per acre.

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., December 1st, 1881.*

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lot 471, Group 1, New Westminster District, has been surveyed, and a map of same can be seen at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, and at the Office of J. C. Hughes, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster.

Claimants to any portion of this land should prove up their claims as provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, November 17th, 1881.*

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following Highway, 33 feet in width, is hereby established in Township No. 11, New Westminster District, viz.:—

Commencing at the North-east corner of Lot 316, Group 2; thence true West, along the line between Lots 316 and 318 and a continuation of the same, to the Langley trunk road; and having a width of 16½ feet on each side of said line.

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 20th January, 1882.*

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**HELMCKEN DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, Helmcken District, have been surveyed, and a map of same can be seen at the Land Office, Victoria.

Persons having claim to any portion of the above lands should prove up their claims according to the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875."

GEO. A. WALKEM,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

*Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, January 12th, 1882.*

Miscellaneous Notices.**NOTICE.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made, at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly, for a Private Bill to enable me, the undersigned, to be admitted to practice as a Solicitor and Barrister in the Supreme Court and other Courts of the Province of British Columbia, subject to my passing the necessary legal examinations before Examiners to be appointed.

Dated 8th day of November, 1881.

SAMUEL PERRY MILLS,
The Petitioner in Person.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated on the North side of the Skeena River, about one mile above the Aberdeen Cannery, on the same side of the river; commencing at a post at the West corner, and running East on the river bank about 40 chains, and back from the river sufficient distance to enclose one hundred and sixty acres.

No mines or minerals are known to exist in the vicinity.

W. H. DEMPSTER.

*Victoria, B.C.,
14th February, 1882.*

NOTICE OF SALE BY SHERIFF.

Pursuant to
"Execution against Lands Act, 1874."

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

LEWIS CARTER, Plaintiff.

v.

JOHN PORTER and WILLIAM SELLECK
Defendants.

IN OBEDIENCE to a Writ of *Fi. Fa.*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 7th day of February, 1882, and to me directed in the above-named suit, for the sum of \$353.55 debt, and \$20 costs, with interest thereon from the 30th November, 1881, besides Sheriff's fees and poundage; also, a Writ of *Fi. Fa.*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 7th day of February, 1882, by same Plaintiff, against the above-named Defendants, and to me directed, for the sum of \$123.81 debt, and \$20 costs, with interest from the 6th June, 1881, besides Sheriff's fees and poundage, I have seized and will sell by Auction, at the front of my Office, Bastion Street, in the City of Victoria, on Tuesday the 21st day of March, 1882, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands belonging to the said John Porter and William Selleck, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the Judgment debts and expenses in this action:—

District.	No. of Lot.	Concise description of Property.	Estate or Interest.
Esquimalt	Lot 22..	Lot 22 of Suburban Lot 21, Esquimalt Town.	Estate in Fee.

The Judgments were registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against said land, on the 30th of November, 1881, and 6th of June, 1881, by David McEwen Eberts.

THOS. HARRIS,
Sheriff.
*Victoria, B.C.,
16th February, 1882.*

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.**Substance of Rules Relating to Notices for Private Bills.**

PARTIES intending to apply to Parliament for Private Bills giving any exclusive privilege or profit, or private or corporate advantage, or for the amendment of any former Act of a like nature, are notified that by the Rules of the two Houses of Parliament, published at length in the *Canada Gazette*, they are required to give two months' notice of their intended application in the *Canada Gazette*, and in a newspaper of the County or District affected, and to transmit to the Clerk of each House copies of the newspapers containing the first and last insertion of such notice.

In Quebec and Manitoba, the Notice is to be published in the English and French languages.

Every applicant for a Private Bill is required, eight days before the opening of Parliament, to deposit with the Clerk of the House in which the Bill is to originate, a copy of such Bill, with a sum sufficient to pay for the translation and printing of the same.

Between the second reading of the Bill and its consideration by the Committee to whom it is referred, the applicant is to pay a fee of \$200, besides the cost of printing the Act in the Statutes.

No petition for a Private Bill is received by either House after the expiration of the first ten days of the Session.

ROBERT LEMOINE,
Clerk of the Senate.

JOHN GEORGE BOURINOT,
Clerk of the Commons,
Ottawa, 1st October, 1881. *Canada.*

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**Private Bills.**

ALL APPLICATIONS for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE, and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge, is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to enable me to be called to the Bar of British Columbia.

Dated November 1st, 1881.

G. E. CORBOULD.

Notice of Private Bill.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I intend to apply to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to enable me to be called to the Bar of British Columbia.

THORNTON FELL.

Victoria, 4th January, 1882.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and work a Railway from some point on Burrard Inlet to some point on or near Semiahmoo Bay, in the District of New Westminster.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

*Langley St., Victoria,
November 25th, 1881.*

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and work a Railway from Esquimalt Harbour *via* Nanaimo, to some point on or near Seymour Narrows, Vancouver Island, and for a grant of public lands in aid thereof.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

*Langley St., Victoria,
January 6th, 1882.*

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and work a Railway from some point on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, at or near the valley of Pitt River, to some point on English Bay, or, on Burrard Inlet, west of Hastings Mill, in the District of New Westminster.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

*Langley St., Victoria,
November 25th, 1881.*

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that JOHN PATMORE WALLS, of Victoria, British Columbia, intends to apply, at the next Session of the Provincial Legislature, for a Private Bill, authorizing his call to the Bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Dated the 24th day of November, 1881.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that D. M. EBERTS, of Victoria, B. C., intends to apply, at the next Session of the Provincial Legislature, for a Private Bill, authorizing his call to the Bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Dated 23rd December, 1881.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****VICTORIA DISTRICT,**

INCLUDING VICTORIA CITY, VICTORIA, LAKE, NORTH AND SOUTH SAANICH, ESQUIMALT, HIGHLAND, METCHOSIN, SOOKE, ALBERNI, CLAYOQUOT, BARCLAY, QUATSINO, SALLAS ISLAND, AND JAMES' ISLAND, DISTRICTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office, at the Treasury, James Bay, Victoria; Assessed Taxes if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.
If paid after June 30th, 1882:—
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

R. JONES,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before the 30th June, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.
If paid after June 30th, 1882:—
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

J. C. HUGHES,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****NANAIMO DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office, Nanaimo; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.
If paid after June 30th, 1882:—
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

MARSHALL BRAY,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****KAMLOOPS POLLING DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now

due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before 30th June, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz.—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.
If paid after June 30th, 1882:—
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

GEORGE TUNSTALL,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****HOPE AND YALE POLLING DIVISIONS OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.
If paid after June 30th, 1882:—
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

WALTER DEWDNEY,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****LYTTON AND CACHE CREEK POLLING DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.
If paid after June 30th, 1882:—
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

FREDERICK HUSSEY,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****KOOTENAY DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.
If paid after June 30th, 1882:—
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

W. FERNIE,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF COMOX.**

NO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

W. H. DINGWALL,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****COWICHAN, INCLUDING SALT SPRING AND ADJACENT ISLANDS.**

NO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

H. FRY,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****CASSIAR DISTRICT.**

NO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

J. L. CRIMP,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****MCDAME CREEK, CASSIAR.**

NO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

R. POOLE,
Assessor and Collector.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****LIGHTNING POLLING DIVISION OF ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF CARIBOO.**

NO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

S. ARCHER,
Assessor and Collector.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****QUESNELMOUTH, KEITHLEY CREEK, AND WILLIAMS LAKE POLLING DIVISIONS OF ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF CARIBOO.**

NO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

W. STEPHENSON,
Assessor and Collector.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****RICHFIELD POLLING DIVISION OF ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF CARIBOO.**

NO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

G. BYRNES,
Assessor and Collector.

Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****LILLOOET DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

WM. LIVINGSTONE,
Assessor and Collector.
Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****NICOLA POLLING DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

J. CLAPPERTON,
Assessor and Collector.
Jan. 7th, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax.****OKANAGAN AND ROCK CREEK POLLING DIVISIONS OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1882, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before June 30th, 1882, are collectible at the following rates, viz:—

$\frac{1}{3}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One-fifth of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1882:—

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on Income.

T. McK. LAMBLY,
Assessor and Collector.
Jan. 7th, 1882.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.**CASSIAR.**

ON AND AFTER the 1st day of October next, all Mining Claims in the Cassiar District may be laid over till the 15th day of June, 1882, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

A. W. VOWELL,
Gold Commissioner.
Laketon,
17th September, 1881.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I intend to make application to purchase one hundred and sixty (160) acres of Crown land, situate on the East bank of Fraser River; from a point about 6 miles North of Quesnelle, due East about three-quarters of a mile, and about one mile from the Hopetul Flat Mining Company's claim; commencing at a pine post marked N.W.C.; thence East, 40 chains, to a post marked N.E.C.; thence South, 40 chains, to a post marked S.E.C.; thence West, 40 chains, to a post marked S.W.C.; thence 40 chains to point of commencement.

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Barkerville, December 20th, 1881.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER this date all Gold Mining and Mineral Claims in Yale District will be laid over until the 1st May, 1882, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Gold Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C.,
15th November, 1881.

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER 1st November next, all Mineral and Mining Claims in the Cariboo District may be laid over till the 20th day of May, 1882, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

JOHN BOWRON,
Gold Commissioner.
Richfield,
October 5th, 1881.

"CROWN GRANTS ORDINANCE, 1870."**LILLOOET DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I shall, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to ISAAC OPPENHEIMER and DAVID OPPENHEIMER, of all those pieces or parcels of land, situate in Lillooet District, consisting of a Pre-emption Claim situate at the upper end of Lake La Hache, about the 117-mile post, on the wagon road, and a Pre-emption Purchase Claim adjoining the first mentioned claim, containing together 320 acres, more or less, and commonly known as "The Gannon Ranch," unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime against the issue thereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th November, 1881.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and operate a Railway on Vancouver Island, from Esquimalt Harbour to Seymour Narrows, with a branch from Esquimalt to Victoria, and for a grant of public lands in aid thereof.

W. POLLARD,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Victoria, B.C.,
31st January, 1882.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to "Legal Professions Amendment Act, 1878," that the undersigned will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, apply to be admitted as a Barrister, and Attorney or Solicitor, of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Dated 3rd February, 1882.

P. A. E. IRVING.

[L.S.]

CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these Presents shall come.—GREETING.

GEO. A. WALKEM, } WHEREAS Letters Patent, under the Great Seal of the Attorney-General. } Province of British Columbia, bearing date the Seventh day of January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, were issued incorporating certain pieces of land therein referred to, and the inhabitants thereof, as a Municipality, under the "Municipality Act, 1872," and amending Acts, under the provisions in the said Letters Patent contained or referred to, and under the name and style of "The Corporation of the Township of Maple Ridge."

And whereas a surrender of the said Letters Patent has been made and accepted by the Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province.

And whereas the said Letters Patent have been and are hereby cancelled.

And whereas the Honourable CLEMENT FRANCIS CORNWALL, as such Lieutenant-Governor, hath, under and by virtue of the powers and authorities by law conferred upon him, by Order in Council, directed that all those pieces of land hereinafter more particularly described, and the inhabitants thereof, should, from and after the date hereof, be incorporated as a Municipality, under the provisions of the "Municipality Act, 1881," and under the provisions hereinafter contained or referred to.

NOW KNOW YE that, by these presents, We do hereby Order and Proclaim that the said pieces of land, hereinafter more particularly described, and the inhabitants thereof, shall, from and after the date hereof, be incorporated as a Municipality, under and subject to the provisions of the said Act, and under and subject to the provisions hereinafter contained or referred to.

The said Municipality shall be called and known by the name and style of "The Corporation of the Township of Maple Ridge."

The boundaries of the said Municipality are hereby proclaimed to be, and shall, unless altered according to law, be as follows:—

Commencing at a point where the line between Sections 3 and 4, Township No. 15, intersects the right bank of Stave River; thence following the meanderings of the right banks of Stave and Fraser Rivers to the North-east corner of Lot 67, Group 1, near the mouth of Pitt River; thence due North, along the coast meridian line, to the South-west corner of Section 6, Township No. 40; thence due East, 3 miles; thence due South, 10 chains, more or less, to the South-west corner of Section 3, Township No. 40; thence due East, 12 miles, to the North-East corner of Section 33, Township No. 15; thence due South, 5 miles and 62 88-100ths chains, more or less, to the point of commencement; and more particularly described on the map hereunto annexed and colored red.

The Council shall consist of Four Councillors and a Reeve.

The nomination shall take place, and the poll, if any, shall be held at the School House, Maple Ridge.

At least ten days' notice of the time and place of nomination and of holding of the poll, if any, shall be given by the said Returning Officer; such notice to be posted during that period on the outer door of the said School House.

The nomination for the first election of Councillors shall be on the 13th day of February, 1882, at 12 o'clock noon; and the polling, if any, shall be on the following day, and shall continue for one day only, and the poll shall be kept open between the hours of 2 P.M. and 5 P.M., and John McKenny, Esq., shall be the Returning Officer thereat.

The Returning Officer shall, on the day of nomination, at noon, announce the names of such persons put in nomination in that behalf as candidates for the office of Reeve and Councillors, as prescribed by the "Municipality Act, 1881."

At the close of the time for nominating the candidates, the Returning Officer shall deliver to every candidate, or agent of a candidate, applying for the same, a duly certified list of the names of the several candidates who shall have been nominated; and any votes given at the election for any other candidates than those so nominated shall be null and void.

If, at the expiration of the time appointed for the election as aforesaid, no more candidates stand nominated than there are vacancies to be filled up, the Returning Officer shall forthwith declare the candidates who may stand nominated to be elected, and return their names to the Registrar of the Supreme Court.

No speeches or interruption to the proceedings of nominating candidates at the hustings shall be permitted by the Returning Officer between the reading of the notice of election and the closing of the proceedings on nomination day by the Returning Officer.

If, at the expiration of such time, more candidates stand nominated than there are vacancies to be filled up, the Returning Officer shall, pursuant to the "Municipality Act, 1881," declare the names of the candidates, and publicly proclaim the day previously stated in his proclamation, and the place or places at which the poll shall be so opened in the Municipality, or in each polling place in the Municipality (as the case may be), for the purpose of taking the votes of the electors according to law; and shall then adjourn the election, and, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, shall take a poll by ballot, and shall cause to be posted up notices of his having granted such poll, indicating the names, residences, and occupations of the candidates so nominated, in the order in which they shall be printed on the ballot papers, which notices shall, as soon as possible after the nomination, be placarded in all the places where the proclamation for the election was posted up.

If, after the adjournment of an election by the Returning Officer for the purpose of taking a poll, one of the Candidates nominated shall die before the poll has commenced, the Returning Officer shall, upon being satisfied of the fact of such death, countermand notice of the poll, and all the proceedings with reference to the election shall be commenced afresh: Provided that no fresh nomination shall be necessary in the case of a Candidate who stood nominated at the time of the countermand of the poll.

In case of a poll being held the Candidates (duly qualified) who shall obtain the greatest number of votes shall be Municipal Councillors and Reeve respectively.

Every person qualified to vote shall have five votes, being one for each Councillor to be elected, and one for Reeve, but he may vote for any less number than five: Provided always, that he shall not cast more than one vote in favour of any one Candidate, or vote on more than one occasion, except for Reeve. And in the event of the number of votes being found to have been equal for any two or more Candidates, one or more of whom, but not all of such Candidates, being by the state of the poll entitled to be declared elected, the Returning Officer shall by a casting vote or votes, as the case may be, decide which of the Candidates for whom the votes may be equal shall be elected. Provided that the said Returning Officer shall not vote except in the case of an equality of votes as aforesaid.

The opening of the ballot boxes and counting the votes shall be in the presence of the Candidates if they attend for that purpose.

The Returning Officer, after the declaration of the poll, shall retain the ballot papers and boxes until a Clerk shall be duly appointed, to whom he shall forthwith deliver the same.

Every person who shall have presented himself for nomination, and who shall have been elected a Municipal Councillor or Reeve, must serve, or in default pay a sum of fifty dollars towards the Municipal Revenue; such sum, with costs, shall be recoverable by the Clerk of the Municipal Council, summarily, before any Justice of the Peace.

Any vacancy in the office of Reeve or Councillor shall be filled as provided by the "Municipality Act, 1881."

The first meeting of the Council shall be held on the next day after the day of Election, at the School House, at 12 o'clock noon.

Until provision be made by By-law, in that behalf, all proceedings at and relating to the meetings of the Council shall be held and taken in accordance with the provisions contained in the "Municipality Act, 1881," and all the powers, privileges and duties of the Reeve and Council shall be the same as those prescribed by the said Act.

At the first meeting in every year, or as soon thereafter as possible, the Council may elect a Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, and Assessor, or such officers as they may deem necessary, who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Council, and receive such remuneration as the Council may by By-law appoint.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable CLEMENT FRANCIS CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of the said Province of British Columbia, in the City of Victoria, in the said Province, this thirtieth day of January, A D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and in the forty-fifth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

T. B. HUMPHREYS,

Provincial Secretary.